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Docket Number (Optional) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) C1039.70074US00 **FY 2008** (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) **Application Number** 10/679,710-Conf. #9983 Filed October 3, 2003 For IMMUNOSTIMULATORY NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES Art Unit 1648 Examiner M. S. Horning This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Small Entity Fee Fee One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$120 \$60 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$460 \$230 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1050 \$525 1,050.00 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$820 \$1640 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2230 \$1115 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Х Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 23/2825 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). Х attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 41,418 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 /Patrick R.H. Waller/ April 29, 2008 Signature Date Patrick R.H. Waller 617.646.8000 Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. Total of forms are submitted. Certificate of Electronic Filing Under 37 CFR 1.8 I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted via the Office electronic filing system in accordance with § 1.6(a)(4). Dated: April 29, 2008 Signature: /Danielle Calder/ (Danielle Calder)

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